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Barbara Harp Becomes Mrs. Ronald Abrahamsen

Barbara Louise Harp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierson, 2328 W. 250th st., became the bride of Ronald Abrahamsen, in the Western Avenue Baptist church on August 17, at 9 p.m.

Mr. Abrahamsen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Abrahamsen, of Jacksonville, Florida.

Mr. Pierson escorted his daughter to the altar which was banked with baskets of white gladiolas and carnations. Rev. Walter Graham read the double ring service.

The bride chose the traditional white satin for her wedding gown, the classic simplicity was carried out in the high neckline, long pointed sleeves and a five foot chapel train. She wore a pearl and rhinestone necklace and drop earrings, a gift from the groom.

Her fingertip illusion veil was held in place by a scalloped tiara of seed pearls and she carried a cascade of white orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. Ronald Murphy, who was matron of honor, wore a gown of mint green lace and carried a cascade of pale pink carnations. The bridesmaids wore exact copies of the matron of honor's gown, except for color. Virginia Haney wore pale yellow lace, Dorothy McClain, pink, Margie Clark, pale blue, and Gloria Lameroux wore mint green, all carried a cascade of

carnations dyed to match their frocks, and wore picture hats with streamers.

Jerry Harp, brother of the bride, was best man and ushers were H. Browning, Lester Ellis, Roife Roeger and Don Eaton, all in the United States Navy.

The candle lighters were Brenda Limbough and Eilene Haney. Valerie Anderson was flower girl and Alan Divine was ring bearer.

After a honeymoon trip to Rosarita Beach the couple will reside in San Diego where the bridegroom is stationed with the navy.

Church to Dedicate Building

On Sunday, August 25 at 3 p.m., First Lutheran church at Carson and Flower will dedicate its new educational building. The guest speaker for the occasion will be Rev. Elmer Hoffman, pastor of Holy Redeemer Lutheran church in Bellflower.

The educational building is the second in a series of buildings to be constructed on the three and one-half acre plot of ground owned by the church. The first building, at present being used as the church, and the office wing was constructed in 1954. The main church and two more educational buildings are planned for future construction.

The new buildings now completed will be used for a Christian day school, for Sunday school and for organizational meetings. There are three large rooms in the building and nine smaller rooms, an office for the Sunday school superintendent and rest rooms.

First Lutheran church will open its Christian Elementary school this fall with first, second and third grades. A kindergarten class will also be started if enough students are registered for this class.

Edward E. Davies is the architect who designed the building and Ellert Voge was the general contractor. Milton Carlson, a member of the church, is Chairman of the building committee. Paul C. Wenske is pastor of the church, and Orville Sletten is the Sunday school superintendent.

The new building contains seven thousand square feet. It has a well equipped and fenced-in playground.

First Lutheran Church welcomes you to inspect the new building at its opening on Sunday afternoon.

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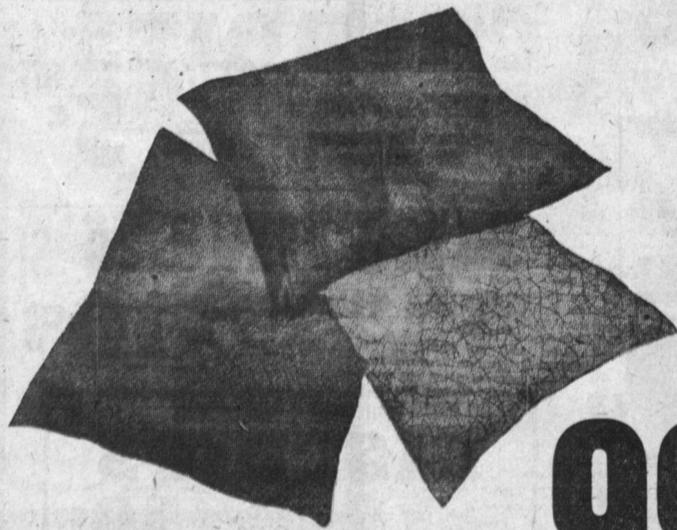
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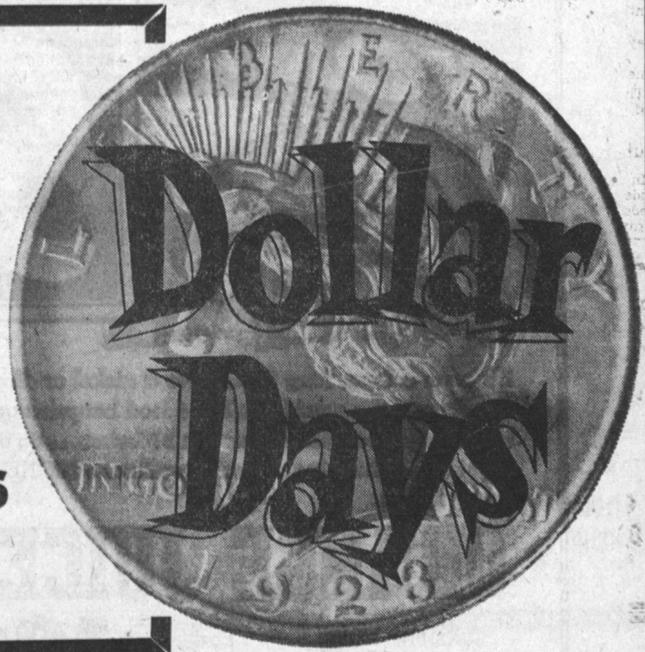
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